

CORRESPONDENCE

BRUNSWICK BREVITIES.

Mrs. Louis Benecke is spending the week in St. Louis.

J. E. Montgomery, prosecuting attorney, spent a few hours in Brunswick Tuesday.

Miss Maude Lewis, accompanied by her friend, Miss Lillian Heisel, spent Sunday in Sumner.

Mrs. George Difani returned Thursday from a visit to her mother at Eldon, Mo.

Olin Bragg of Kansas City spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Bragg.

C. E. Lea's delivery horse created some excitement Tuesday by racing up Broadway and attempting to enter H. L. Mann's drug store.

County Surveyor O. G. Dameron and corps of assistants made several surveys here Monday with a view of locating the new Grand river bridge.

The band boys are hard at work practicing for their open air concerts which will be resumed as soon as the weather permits.

Our popular young friend, Ed. Owen, has accepted the position as day operator with the Wabash at Randolph, Mo. He will take up his new duties Monday.

At the request of some of our citizens and many other patrons, who were unable to attend the January performance of "Who's Brown?" the play will be repeated Wednesday evening, April 24, at Russell opera house. The participants in the performance are all home talent.

Lewis' Mill Laconics.

The cold snap has left us with some fruit, but most of the early kinds were killed.

Leslie Martin and wife of Yates were visiting at Thos. Vossler's Sunday, and Miss Julia Vossler accompanied them home for a few weeks' visit.

Leo Filla says he has quit

fishing since Joe has started in to catch suckers.

Henry Brandt and family and C. P. Nordmeyer and wife called to see Mr. Humphrey Sunday. They report him no better.

Alvin Monnig and wife and C. P. Nordmeyer dined at Joe Huber's Sunday.

Wm. Westhaus and family, John Brandt and wife, Huber Brucks and wife and C. P. Nordmeyer and wife were guests at Herman Peters' Sunday, and enjoyed the day immensely.

A number of young folks gathered at the home of Herman Peters one night last week where they had a good time dancing. Prof. R. O. Monnig and brother furnished the music.

C. P. Nordmeyer was elected director for three years at the recent school election in Nordmeyer district.

WESTVILLE WAIFS.

Miss Lula Bell is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Isaac Huddle and wife were guests at Jack Bell's Sunday.

W. P. Davis and family were guests Sunday at the Ed Kuhn home near, Plainview.

Miss Mabel Hartman has returned home from a visit to Marceline friends.

Rev. J. C. Cox filled his appointment at White Oak chapel Sunday afternoon.

Jas. Ellis and family came out from Marceline Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Scott.

Earl Hedrick returned Sunday from a visit to his sister, Mrs. Laura Fleet Hedrick of Salisbury.

The O. E. S. chapter held a very interesting session at their chapter room Saturday. One candidate was initiated.

Misses Cassie and Maisie Bell have dismissed their schools for a time to attend the bedside of their sister, Lulu.

Misses Minnie and Bell Cupp

of Plainview visited relatives in White Oak vicinity the first of the week.

Messrs. Poschl of Hamden were in this neighborhood the early part of the week on business.

"Grandpa" Rose is in this part of the country again, and is now the guest of Mrs. Robt. Green and family.

Pee Dee Prattles.

Lewis McCloud left last week for the Pan-Handle country where he expects to make his future home.

Some of our wood-choppers went to Mendon Tuesday night to witness the adoption of a class of 16 Woodmen at that place.

Elder Brooks sustained the fracture of three ribs last week, caused from being kicked by one of his horses, and is now laid up for repairs on that account.

The social at Eke, Collet's Friday night was largely attended, and a most enjoyable time is reported by those who were there.

Mrs. J. G. McCloud returned Sunday from an extended visit to relatives in Brunswick. Her little brother accompanied her home.

Willis Callahan delivered a nice lot of porkers at Salisbury Tuesday for his father, John Callahan, topping the local market at \$6.25. Mr. Hog seems to be an important proposition just at present.

A most severe electrical and hail storm passed over this part of the country Monday morning, causing much damage to telephones and the fruit crop, that is, what was left of it by the recent freezes.

Mrs. John Cloyd, nee Garrett, departed for her home in Omaha, Neb., Monday night after spending several days very pleasantly visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Garrett, and also relatives, near Salisbury.

Two of our girls say they found a Dunkard and a Quaker while they were out calling just prior to the preaching hour at the church last Sunday. Listen, girls; better send in your cards next time or, at least, announce your presence at the door.

SUMNER SQUIBS.

J. W. Stobaugh was a Triplet visitor Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Hopper and little son, Currie, were Laedle visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Earle Robinson was in Brookfield Tuesday having some dental work done.

T. M. DeLaMatter of Gardner, Ill., is here this week looking after his Swan Lake farm.

Miss Fannie Wheelbarger is in a critical condition from paralysis of one of her lower limbs.

So far as reported the fruit in the cellars has not been frozen yet, but the crop on the trees is in a mighty poor way.

The new township board met at G. A. Southerland's office and organized Wednesday. It is to be hoped that they will do everything in their power to give the township good roads and bridges.

Bruce Kilpatrick, the king of HogRidge, is using gold-mounted harness in connection with his every-day farm work. He says he does this to keep up the dignity of his position.

C. W. Northcott made a flying visit to his mother and other relatives at Linneus Tuesday. By the way, it is noticeable that the editors don't find so much time to ride around over the country since they have to pay fare like other mortals.

Our public schools will close Friday after the most successful term that has been conducted here for years. The graduating exercises will be held at The Pearl Saturday night. They have an excellent program, and if the weather be at all favorable they will have a record-breaking crowd.

A circle of the Hustling Knights of Woodcraft was instituted at this place Monday night with 15 charter members. The Hustlers are an adjunct of the Modern Woodmen of America, and, as the name implies, there is not a dull line in their ritual. It would be a great help to the Woodmen if a circle of Hustlers could be organized in connection with every camp of the parent order.

John Boley and Frank Linscott got into a fight at the usual battleground Saturday evening. The marshal attempted to arrest

John, and his father interferred with the result that both were incarcerated in the Hotel de Berry where they were kept until Monday when they were released on bail until Tuesday afternoon at which time they were tried before Mayor Thorne who assessed their punishment at a fine of \$5 for John and a fine of \$1 for his father. They talked at first of appealing the case to the circuit court, but we understand that they have concluded to liquidate.

Salisbury Squibblings.

Mrs. Dr. Marks of Denizen, Kas., is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Heryford.

Our old friend, Rufus D. Burris, is dangerously ill at the home of his son, George, near town.

We are sorry to chronicle the serious illness of E. Finnell at the home of his sister, Mrs. Grant Hurt. We hope he may soon be restored to health.

H. C. Morehead and Miss Alle Johnson left Monday for Jefferson City where they have secured clerical positions with the special session of the legislature.

Miss Maud Butner died at her home, south of Salisbury, Monday, after a lingering illness from stomach trouble. Deceased was about 20 years of age. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved ones in their affliction.

Father Lubely delivered an able address before the Shakespeare club Friday evening at the home of Mrs. P. E. Wilhite. His subject was: "The Religion of Shakespeare."

The K. of P. lodge at this place conferred the third degree on Editor J. E. Preston of Triplet Monday night. About 18 members from the Triplet lodge were present. All report a fine time.

J. Downey, who works at T. J. Hall's sawmill, came to town Friday and imbibed too freely of the flowing bowl. He was arrested on the charge of being drunk and disorderly and escorted to the city bastille by City Marshal Dameron, but his thirst for trouble was not yet satisfied. He proceeded to turn over the stove and play havoc with the other jail furnishings. When

arraigned before the mayor, he pleaded guilty and was fined \$11 and trimmings.

A young man, giving his name as Lon Hartwell and claiming to be an insurance agent from St. Louis, came to Salisbury Tuesday afternoon in company with Rector McDavid of Clifton Hill. The former had a check drawn on the Peoples bank of Clifton Hill for \$19.40, signed by one C. W. Westfall of near Clifton Hill, which he desired to get cashed at the Peoples bank here, but was told the bank had closed. He then went to Paul Stamper & Bro.'s clothing store and Eugene Stamper cashed the check. After cashing the check Mr. Stamper called up A. J. Bradsher, cashier of the Clifton Hill bank, by 'phone and asked if the bank would pay the check. The reply was in the affirmative, but said Mr. Westfall had no funds there. This set Mr. Stamper to thinking, so he called up Mr. Westfall, who promptly informed him that he had issued no such check. The information was gained so quickly that the wrong-doer was still in town and had the money in his possession, all of which was recovered. Both Hartwell and McDavid were arrested, but McDavid was released later. Hartwell's trial took place before Justice J. R. Mason Wednesday and resulted in his being held in the sum of \$500 to await the action of the ensuing May term of circuit court at Keytesville. He was unable to furnish bond and was taken to Keytesville by Constable J. W. Redd where he was lodged in jail.

Pay Up!

We have received very meager returns so far from the subscription statements we sent out April 1, 1907. Failing to hear from those to whom we sent statements, by May 1 we shall send them another reminder, as they seem to think we have nothing else to do. But we assure them that we have, and we hope they will not enroach upon our time, but will pay up at once. "DO IT NOW."

C. P. VANDIVER.

Pub. COURIER.

Misses Jessie Jefferson and Grace Moore of Moberly spent Sunday with Keytesville home-folks.

W. E. Morgan of near Dalton, one of the leading farmers of Bowling Green township, left for Indiana Monday last to take charge of the real estate and personal property which was left him by his uncle, W. T. Morgan, who was an old bachelor and very wealthy and willed his entire fortune to W. E. Morgan, who will not return to Missouri as his time will all be consumed in taking care of his large estate. Mrs. Morgan contemplates disposing of her real estate on Bowling Green prairie and joining her husband in Indiana. She is erecting a large modern residence on her farm with all the modern conveniences, such as furnace, hot and cold water, bath, gas plant and everything up to date. When the residence is complete she will sell the farm and move to Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Montgomery, recently of Fairview, Ohio, will locate at Keytesville the first of next week and set up to house-keeping in the Z. T. Lamkin residence property which Mr. Montgomery purchased a few weeks since. They are spending the present week visiting their daughter, Mrs. George McGrew of near Mendon. Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery are also the parents of Prosecuting Attorney J. E. Montgomery of this place.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Keytesville Methodist church held a bazar in the Anderson building Saturday. Besides selling needlework and candy, they served dinner and supper. A wonderfully embroidered quilt, formed of the flags of all nations, was placed on exhibition. Each of the ladies of the aid society contributed to the making of this quilt. One hundred dollars was cleared at the bazar, and everyone voted the occasion a great success.

Howard Bradshaw, who is attending Westminster college at Fulton, has been here visiting home-folks during the past week.



MAYBE YOU DON'T OBJECT TO HAVING clothes made of cotton-mixed fabrics; possibly you think "a little cotton won't do any harm." All right; but you do object to paying a price based on "a little cotton" for clothes that are more than half cotton. That's the trouble with all adulteration in clothes, or anything; the minute you admit that "a little doesn't hurt anything," you've opened the gate wide. We've seen suits being sold at \$20 and \$25 that looked like the price, but when tested, showed nearly 50 per cent cotton; worth about \$5 if you judge by the way they look in a month's wear.

That's why we sell Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes; they're all-wool, and there's no fraud or deception about that. You know exactly what you're getting for your money when you spend it for these clothes; and you get it here.

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